Bollday Presents.—Horace Waters, 333
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of pianos and melodeons, manufactured by the most celebrated makers in the Union. In his warercome can
be tound pianos from ten different manufactories, and
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HORACE WATERS, 333 Broadway.

N. B.—Between this and New Year's day Mr. W. will
sell pianes, melodeons, music and musical instruments
of all kinds at a greater discount than he has ever made
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Splendid Holiday Presents Planofortes—
the subscribers would call the attention of those ocsiring to make a truly splendid as well as useful holiday
posent, to their elegant Crystal Palace prize pianfartes,
effer for sale, together with a splendid assortment of
these instruments of every style of cases, from 6½ to
3½ octaves, of a quality which cannot be surpassed,
which will be fully warranted, and sold at prices that
manot fall to suit; also melodeors, of very superior
quality, GROVENSTEN & TRUSLOW, 505 Broadway,
adjoining the St. Nicholas Hotel.

Phrenology.—Examinations with Charts, and written descriptions of character, day and evening. Works on phrenology, physiology, bydropathy and photography by FOWLER & WELLS, 308 Broad way. Museum open and free Christmas and New Years.

Lace and Musin Curtains from Auction— HILTY & FERGUSON, No. 289½ Broadway, and No. 54 Seate street, have on hand 20,000 lace and musin cur-name, bought at auction, at a great sacrifice, and will sell the same for a few days at great bargains, full 20 per cent, less than the original cost of importation. Go accept, for this is a rare epportunity. Also, the largest steek of window shades and gilt cornices in the city, all of which must be sold cheap.

Furs for Presents.—J. H. Harley, 34 John street, will be open until 1 P. M. Christmas, to accommodate those who could not supply themselves on Saturalay. He will have a fresh supply of choice erminaley. He will have a fresh supply of choice erminaley. He will have a fresh supply of choice erminaley. He will have a fresh supply of choice erminaley. He will have a fresh supply of choice erminaley. He was a fact the severy low prices—as mank from \$12 to 250, ermine \$20 to \$50, &c. Every pricele is warranted and made in the best style, as 34 keln street, one deor from Nassati

Heliday Outfitting—Hoys' Overcoats, Capes ad Talmas. Also a full assortment of all kinds of arments for men and boys, at prices reduced to suit the mes. FOUGHTON & KNAPP, 19 Cortland street.

Youths' and Children's Clothing.—Great bargains in youths' and children's clothing at the est stand of E. G. OLSSEN, 74 Bowery, who is selling of his whole stock below cost, in order to make improve-

Taking Stock.—From Now till the 1st of anuary we will ofter our large and elegant stock of win-se clocking at very low figures, to close the season.

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evercoats, Talmas, Business Coats, Dress ad Prock Coats, &c.—We are closing out our elegant took of the above garments at greatly reduced prices.

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Robes de Chambre, Embroidered Smoking ackets, Gentlemen's Shawls, &c.—A very select stock of the above, for holiday presents, at very reduced prices. D. DEVLIN & CO., 258, 259 and 260 Broadway, corner of Warren street.

Boys' Clothing.—Our Large Stock of Boys' winter clothing, and the prices at which we are closing them out, deserve the early attention of families supplying their boys during the holidays. D. DEVILIN & OV., 256, 259 and 260 Broadway, corner of Warren street.

Old Santa Claus Burnt, but not Consumedad all his splendid stock, consisting of every variety of presents for the holidays, to be disposed of at H. S. ROGFRS' great fancy store, No. 449 Broadway, the rear et which has been entirely destroyed by fire. Every one that wants presents can obtain them without regard to

Hang up your Stockings—Santa Claus has srived at the creat picture depot, 289 Broadway, with bousands of daguerreotypes for all who respect his sint-atic Majesty.

Merry Christmas, Ladies—And if you wish to make presents, you will find at Miller's, beautiful embroidered toilet slippers for gentlemen; also ladies', misses' and children's gaiter boots and fancy shoes, of all kinds, with boys' and youths' patent leather boots, Congress gaiters, &c., &c., forming useful and appropriate gifts for the holidays. holidays.

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Dr. Johns, one of the most celebrated physicians in New York, writes as follows:—

Dr. Curus—Dear Sir: Having witnessed the excellent effects of your Hygeans or Inhaling Hygean Vapor and Cherry Syrup, in a case of chronic bronchitis, and being much in favor of counter irritation in affections of the throat, bronchial tubes and lungs, I can therefore cheerfully recommend your medicated apparatus as being the most convenient and effectual mode of applying anything of the kind I have ever seen. No doubt thousands of

most convenient and effectual mode of applying anything of the kind I have ever seen. No doubt thousands of persons may be relieved, and many cured, by using your remedies. You are at liberty to use this in any way you may think proper. Respectfully, yours, &c. C. JOHNS, M.D., 609 Houston street. Sold by C. H. RING, corner of John street and Broadway, and by druggists throughout the city and country. Price \$5 a package.

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Remember—Howe's Cough Candy is an Article of extraordinary merit, and is perfectly adapted to the season of coughs and colds. Its reputation is world wide and increasing daily. For sale everywhere. Principal depot, 382 Broadway,

Grand Afternoon and Evening Performances by PERHAM'S Troupe, 663 Broadway. On both escasions the laughable operatic extravaganza of Don Glovanni will be presented; also, the Railroad Gallop, Darkies' Christmas Festival, and a host of Ethiopian and sentimental songs, &c. Lane, the champion dancer. Boyd, and Le Petite Christine, will be sure to amuse old and young. Perham's is the place to enjoy yourselves.

Costar's Rat, Coe\*roach, &c. Exterminator appt, has removed to 388 Broadway, having been burnt selean out by the fire at his old stand, 448 Broadway. Assew Happy Family in a few days.

Married.

At Newark, N. J., on Thursday, December 21, in the First Eaptist Church, by the Rev. H. C. Fish, Joseph Ivener Midding to Emma C. Cranz, adopted daughter of Cyrus Lean, Esq., all of Newark, N. J.

Suddenly, on Saturday morning, December 23, Mr. Romer Allen, in the 30th year of his age.

His friends, the friends of his brother-in-law, William Glover, the First Troop of Washington Grays, and the butchers generally, are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, to morrow afternoon, at one o'clock, from his late residence, No. 159 East Twenty-seventh street. His remains will be taken to Greenwood.

Suddenly, on Saturday morning, December 23, Lenox Marshall, aged 67 years.

The relatives and friends of the family, and those of his son, Lemuel, are requested to attend his funeral, this afternoon, at two o'clock, from the residence of his son, No. 139 Hester street, without further invitation. His remains will be taken to Greenwood for interment.

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On Saturday morning, December 23, after a sudden illness, Catharine Margarier, wife of Jurgen H. Schwarte, aged 37 years, 4 months and 23 days.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend her funeral, this afternoon, at half past one o'clock, from her late residence, No. 468 Greenwich street, corner of Watts street. Her remains will be taken to Greenwood for interment.

On Eunday, December 24, Susan Mastrosson, aged 51 years.

On Sunday, Recember 24, Susan massisson, ages of years.

Funeral this afternoon, at half past one o'clock, from her late residence, No. 293 Madison street.

On Sunday morning, December 24, Mrs. Catharine Moore, widow of Richard Meore, aged 82 years, 8 months and 24 days.

The relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, to-morrow afternoon, at half past one o'clock, from the residence of her son, Col. William B. Moore. Her remains will be taken to Cypress Hills Cemetery.

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On Sunday, December 24, CATHARINE DOYLE, wife of John Doyle.

The friends and acquaintances of the family are respectfully invited to attend her funeral, from No. 104 Oliver street, this afternoon, at two o'clock.

On Saturday, December 23, Mrs. TRIPINISMA HOTCHINSON, wife of John Hutchinson, agel 78 years.

Her friends are respectfully invited to attend the funeral services, at her late residence, No. 40 East Eighteenth street, this afternoon, at half past six o'clock.

Albany and Illinois papers please copy.

On Saturday evening, December 23, after a lingering illness, Edward J. Coogras, son of the late James Coggins, aged 29 years, 2 months and 23 days.

His relatives and friends are particularly requested to attend his funeral, from No. 116 Walker street, this afternoon, at three o'clock.

Boston and New Orleans papers please copy.

On Sunday morning, December 24, John Scarborough, in the 55th year of his age.

The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend his funeral, from his late residence, No. 206 Madison street, this afternoon, at half past two o'clock.

On Sunday morning, December 24, after a lingering illness, John Rynnolds, aged 36 years.

His relatives and friends are respectfully invited to at-

tend his funeral, to morrow morning, at 11 o'clock, from his late residence, No. 641 Hudson street. His remains will be taken to Green wood for interment.

Ohio papers please copy.

On Sunday, December 23, Java, wife of Bernard Bonougho, in the 55th year of her age.

The relatives and friends of the family are requested to attend the funeral, this afternoon, at three o'clock, from her late residence, northwest corner of Avenue C and Eleventh street.

On Saturday, December 23, of disease of the heart, Mrs. Prices Billin.

The relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend her funeral, from the Church of the Holy Communion, corner of Twentieth street and Sixth avenue, to-morrow morning, at ten o'clock without further notice. Her remains will be taken to Trinity Cemetery.

On Sunday, December 24, Oscar, youngest son of W. P. and S. L. Denman.

The friends are respectfully invited to attend the funeral services, at the residence of his parents, No. 69 Vandam street, this morning, at nine o'clock. The remains will be taken to Springfield, N. J., for interment. Suddenly, on Sunday, December 24, JAMES HARLES, son of Thos. Harlen, a native of county Meath Ireland.

His friends and relatives are invited to attend the funeral, from his late residence, No. 42 Whitehall street, to-morrow afternoon, between one and two o'clock.

On Saturday morning, December 23, Francis A. Burnizs, aged 1 year, 2 months and 26 days, youngest son of John G. and Ellenor M. Butler.

The funeral will take place from the residence of his parents, to-morrow afternoon, at one o'clock.

On Saturday morning, December 23, Dannel P. Adams, aged 32 years.

The funeral services will be held this afternoon, at two o'clock, at his late residence, No. 174 Livingston street, Brooklyn. His friends will please attend the funeral funeral services will be held this afternoon, at two o'clock, at his late residence, No. 174 Livingston street, Brooklyn. His friends will please attend the funeral will one o'clock, at his late residence, No. 184 Livingston

age.

Her friends, and those of her son, James R. Waldron, are respectfully invited to attend her funeral, without further invitation, from her late residence, Classon avenue, near Fulton, Bedford, to-morrow afternoon, at one belock.

Hill's tool store.

His friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend his funeral, from the residence of his mother, corner of Cole and South Sixth streets, Jersey City, this afternoon, at half past two o'clock.

Weckly Report of Deaths. In the city and county of New York, from the 16th day of December to the 23d day of December, 1854. Men, 86; women, 61; beys, 130; girls, 102.—Total, 379.

Cirrhosis of the liver...

Dysentery... Enlargement of heart.. Erysipelas...

Fever, scarlet... Fever, typhoid... Fever, typhoid... Fever, nervous... Fever, gastric...

Malformation of lungs.
Malformation of lungs.
Marasmus, adult ...
Marasmus, infantile ...
Measles ...
Mortification of limbs...

to 40 years....PLAC

ADVERTISEMENTS BENEWED EVERY DAY.

PERSONAL. CAPTAIN HENRY POWEIL PRYCE.—IF THE WIdow of the late Captain Henry Powell Pryce, or his
son, will call at 65 South street, they will hear of something to their advantage. Should this notice be seen by
any person who can give information regarding either, it
will be suitably acknowledged by FOSTER, ELLIOTT &
CO., 66 South street.

POST OFFICE, NEW YORK, DECEMBER 22, 1854.—
From and after the first of January next, the price of letter boxes at this office will be six dollars a year. Some additional boxes have been made, which will be rented to such applicants as apply before the whole number is taken.

ISAAC V. FOWLER, Postmaster.

POST OFFICE, NEW YORK, DECEMBER 23, 1954.—
There being dispute as to the circulation of papers claiming the advertisement by this office of uncalled-for letters, notice is hereby given that the Postmaster will receive evidence and decide upon the fact, under and pursuant to the regulations of the Post Office Department. A printed statement, for the information of persons desiring to compete for the advertisement, fixing and defining the limits and boundaries of the territory deemed by the Postmaster to be embraced within the range of the delivery of this office, the time within which evidence must be submitted, and the particulars of the evidence required, and blank affidavits in which every detail to be shown is properly and definitely embraced, will be furnished on application at this office.

ISAAC V. FOWLER, Postmaster.

EYESIGHT.—PUBLIC LECTURE. SUBJECT:—"THE Eye and Spectacles." Illustrations, models, diagrams, and artificial eyes. Lecturer, E. S. Franks, spectacle maker to the New York Eye Hospital and Eye Infirmary. Lecture room, 52 Bowery. Time. Wednesda; evening, Dec. 27, at 8 o'clock. Admission, 12% cents. WINTER PASHIONS.

TURS OF ALL NATIONS —FALL FASHIONS READY at BOOS & JACOBOWIZ'S, 397 Broadway, between Walker and White streets. Large sale of a valuable stock of furs, embracing all the varieties in the range of the fur business, at 25 per cent below cost price.

BILLIARD PALACE, WITH ERGHT OR TEN TABLES
for sale or exchange for New York, Brooklyn of
Williamsburg property. Apply to W. COLE, at Bass
ford's rooms, No. 8 Ann street, an entrance 149 Fultor
street. Location so good that a proper person can make
from \$4,000 to \$6,000 per annum.

WANTED—A COACH BODY MAKER. APPLY TO Major T hompson & Co., 27 Wooster street.

COPARTNERSHIP NOTICES. \$350. WANTED, A PARTNER WITH THE profitable business on Broadway, no competition, and can clear \$25 or \$30 per week. Call at 312 Broadway,

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HORSES, CARRIAGES, &c.

STABLE NEAR UNION PARK TO LET—HALF OF A private stable, comprising three stalls, room for three carriages, and loft. For particulars address but 505 Post Office.

A. M. CRISTALAR, AUCTIONEER, WILL SELL, ON household furniture, consisting of chairs, tables, bureaus, bedsteads, beds and bedding, and various other withdrawn the line.

A UCTION NOTICE—BY VIRTUE OF A CHATFEI.

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Mortgage, there will be sold, on Tuesday, the 26th day of December, at 10% o'clock, A. M., at No. 76

Franklin street, all the furniture of a large bearding house, consisting of rosewood, black walnut and mahogany bureaus, sofas, chairs, bedsteads, centre, card and extension tables, Brussels and ingrain carpets, oilcloths, looking glasses, clocks, lace curtains, shades, feather beds, hair mattresses, kitchen utensils, refrigerators, silver plated ware, crockery, &c. Deposit required from every purchaser.

J. B. TYLER,
Attorney for Mortgagee.

Attorney for Mortgages.

A UCTION NOTICE.—THOS. BELL, AUCTIONEER.—
By BELL & BUSH.—Tuesday, at 10½ o'clock, in the
salesrooms, 27 Centre street, will be sold the valuable
furniture of a gentleman going to Europe, remayed from
Hoboken, comprising an excellent variety of housekeeping articles. The balance stock of dry goods at 379
Eighth avenue, will be positively closed in all this week.
Sales daily at 12 o'clock.

UCTION NOTICE.-WE ARE REQUESTED TO CALL A attention to the annual sale of boots, shoes and rubbers; comprising about 500 cases, adapted to the season, to close up a number of consignments, by A. D. GALE, at the store No. 225 Pearl street, on Tuesday, December 26, at 10 o'clock A. M. Catalogues and goods ready for examination at 8 o'clock on moroing of sale.

CABINET MAKERS' STOCK, PIANOS, &c., AT AUCtion.—M. WRAY, auctioneer, will sell, at the store,
355 Broadway, corner of Anthony street, on Tuesday,
bec. 26, at 10½ o'clock, the balance of the stock of a
first class manufacturer, which must positively be sold,
comprising two elegant rosewood pianos, in fine order;
three landsome chamber suits of furniture, marble tops;
one rich rosewood parlor suit, in brocatelle; one mahogany do., in fine hair cloth; wardrobes, secretary and bookcase, side and centre tables, bedsteads, bureaus, chairs,
&c. Also, a variety of office desk, tables, &c.

plated ten and coffee sets, waiters, teapots, tea and coffee urns, cake and card baskets, &c.

TANCY GOODS.—JOHN L. VANDEWATER, AUCtioneer.—VANDEWATER & TURNER will sell on
Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, Dec. 27,
28, 29, 30, at 10½ o'clock each day, at the salesrooms,
Nos. 30 Fine and 56 Cedar streets, a splendid assortment
of rich fancy goods, consisting of rich china, decorated
vases, colognes, card receivers, jewel caskets, richly decorated china dinner and tea sets, coffee cups with mottoes, &c.; rich bronze and ormelu clocks, shades and
stands; bronze figures, groups, statuettes, coupees,
candelabras, candlesticks, richly engraved Bohemian
optical cut vases, colognes, card receivers, pocals, ruby
liquere sets, torquois caraife and tumblers, fiint cut decanters, champagnes, claret wines and papier mache
portfelios; dressing cases, work boxes, glove boxes, silver
plated tea and coffee services, coffee urns, cake baskets,
castors, card receivers, waiters, dinner and desert forks
and German toys, suitable for New Year's gitts, the
whole forming a very desirable assortment of holiday
presents.

WILSON, AUCTIONEER.—TUENDAY MORNING, at 10½ o'clock, contents of the large four-story house, 169 Twenty-fourth street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues, consisting of rosewood parlor furnimiture, en suite, centre and side tables, about 300 yards tapestry carpet on the floors, large pier glasses, rosewood etegere with mirror doors, brocatelle curtains, rosewood seven octave planoforte, a superior instrument, oil paintings, solid mahogany extension table, china dinner and tea sets, coatly china vasses, ermolu clocks, rosewood and mahogany bedsteads, bureaus, and washstands, beds and bedding, hair mattresses, bedroom carpets, crockery, out glass ware, silver ware, castors, with cut bottles, elegant tea service, salvers, with solid silver edges, cake baskets, spoons, forks, &c., being the whole contents of a large and well furnished house. The furniture is nearly new, and every article will positively be sold.

JOHN W. SOMERINDYKE, AUCTIONEER, STORE 110
Centre street, corner of Franklin streeet.—Mortgage sale of groceries, &c., on Tuesday, the 26th inst., at 72 Stanton street, at 10½ o'clock, the contents of the above store, consisting of the usual variety; also, horse, wagon, sleigh and harness, &c.

J. W. SOMERINDYKE, Atty.

JOHN I. VANDEWATER, AUCTIONEER.—VANDE-WATER & TURNER will sell on Wednesday, Dec. 21, at 10% o'clock, at the salearooms, 30 Pine and 56 Cedar streets, a splendid assortment of furs, consisting of rich stope marten, Freach sable, fitch, 'chinchilla, mountain marten and Hudson's Bay sable muffs, victorines, cuffs and capes; also, rich stone marten talmas, with cuffs to match; sleigh robes of the finest Isabella bear, wolf, Hudson's Bay buffalo, racoon skins. The attention of purchasers is requested to this sale, as every article will be warranted.

PARKER VEIN COAL LANDS AT PUBLIC AUCTION.—
The undersigned trustees will sell, at public auction, on Tuesday, December 26, 1854, at 12½ o'clock P. M., in the Merchants' Exchange, in the city of New York, one of the most valuable coal properties in the Cumberland coal fields of Maryland, consisting of what is well known as the Jackson, Totten, and Westernport properties, lying contiguous, and containing about seventeen hundred acres of land, all underlaid with coal. About fourteen hundred acres lies fronting on George's Creek Railroad, for a distance of three miles, and entirely underlaid with the fifteen feet vein of coal, and all underlaid with the six feet vein.

Railroad, for a distance of three miles, and entirely underlaid with the sir feet vein.

The extended front of these lands renders every acre of coal available, and makes the property the most valuable in the Cumberland coal fields, as it is capable of being divided into twenty separate coal properties. The big vein is of the purest coal in the George's Creek region. On the Jackson and part of the Westernport are what are called the "Jackson Mines" and village of Jacksonville. These mines have been opened and worked for about one year. The improvements at these mines are all in complete order, with a capacity to mine 1,000 tons of coal daily. The village of Jacksonville, which belongs to the Jackson Mines, comprises between forty and fifty first class miners' tenements, a large store house and office, with all the necessary faitures for doing a very large coal business. The above coal lands are well known and regarded among the best coal lands in that region. Persons desirous of purchasing can be satisfied by inquiring at Jacksonville. The titles are good, and the property can be pointed out by persons at Jacksonville.

All the mine cars, tools, and mining faxtures, now at the Jackson Mines, will be sold, with the lands, which will enable the purchasers to commence immediate operations. The terms of sale will be as follows:—\$6,000 cash on the day of sale; \$50,000 April 1, 1855; \$10,000 June 1, 1856; and the balance in two equal annual payments therefrom; all the deferred payments to ear an annual interest of six per cent from the day of sale, to be secured by a lien on the lands.

J. PHILLIPS ROMAN,

Trustees of the Parker Vein Coal Company.

STOVER, AUCTIONEER.—LARGE AND IMPORTant sale of elegant household furniture, &c., &c.

STOVER, AUCTIONEER.-LARGE AND IMPOR tant sale of elegant household furniture, &c., &c. on Tuesday, 26th inst., at 10% o'clock, at 895 Hudsor street, the entire stock of a dealer declining bus ness sent to the above store for convenience of sale. Sale

series, the entire stock of a dealer declining bus ness, series to the above store for convenience of sale. Sale positive.

William IRVING & CO., AUCTIONEERS,—SUPREME COURT.—Moses S. Cohen against Jacob Moses Smit; Jacob Mcses Smit against Moses S. Cohen.—By virtue of an order made in the above entitled action, on the 21st inst., by Hon. J. J. Roosevelt, Justice of the Supreme Court, requiring William Irving, auctioneer, to take insensing the possession and dispose of, at public auction, all the partnership stock of goods of the late firm of Cohen & Smit, for cash, &c., we will expose the said stock for sale, as required in and by said order, at our store, No. 8 Pine street, on Wednesday, Thoraday apd Friday, Dec. 27, 28, and 29, and until the sale thereof shall be completed. The seid stock consists of sevres porcelains superbly decorated sevres china vases, with rich original paintings; one pair of very elegant sevres porcelain vases, formerly the property of Wm. II. King, of Holland, which are worthy the attention of comoisseurs; a superbly decorated with original oil paintings, cost \$600, antique dresden china groups and vases averes porcelain tates—teles, candelabras, motioes, coupees and clocks; ormolu gilt gold vases, candelabras for gas, splendid sevres china tables, with ormolu standards, with couplete suits of vases to match, meat elsborately painted, each painting a perfect gem; splendid painted plates, card receivers, parian groups, ornaments, &c.; bronzes, in a large variety, of clocks, candelabras, coupes and buhl secretary, cost \$200; rich carved chony cabbents, inial with pearls, and frames, painted by old masters; writing desks, tables, papatries, work boxes, &c.; antique marquetes chairs of the fifteenth century; elegant and costly antique laces, a large variety of fancy articles; porcelain and costly antique laces, a large variety of anost shirts. Also a large variety of fancy articles; porcelain, antiques, &c., as were ever offered at anction. Lawrence & Horn, attorneys for J.

NEW YEAR'S PRESENTS AT AUCTION.—M. WRAY, Auctioneer. W. W. SHIRLEY will sell at the commission salesroom of Thomas F. Field, 107 Fulton street, opposite Dutch, on Tuesday, the 26th inst., a choice assertment of French china gift coffees, fruit baskets, card receivers, vases and mugs, cut glass and pressed bwis, decanters, wines, tumblers, dishes, salts, lemonades, &c., white granite, marble, plated Britannia ware, toy figures, &c.

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OPECIAL AUCTION SALES—JNO. KEENE, AUCTION—Neer—Grand sale of holiday books.—On Tuesday evening, Dec. 26th, at the book sales room, 377 Broadway, corner of White street, precisely at 6½ o'clock, the undersupned will sell at auction a grand collection of holiday books, embracing all the recent and most celebrated issues of the principal publishing houses of New York, Boston and Philadelphia; magnificently embellished and splendidly illustrated English books, just imported; Bibles, prayers, church services and lessons of the Protestant Episcopal church, in every variety, together with other books and fancy goods suited to the season. There being no second-hand books included in this sale, it will commense on a very choice invoice, and a punctual attendance of buyers precisely at the opening (6½ o'clock) is desirable.

FIUNIS MORRELL, AUCTIONEER WILL SELL TO.

TUNIS MORRELL, AUCTIONEER, WILL SELL, TOmorrow, at 10½ o'clock, at the salesroom, 304
Broadway, corner of Duane street, splendid Christmas and
New Year's gifts, consis ing of elegant decorated chinaware, silver plated do, papier mache goods, fancy work
boxes, mantel ornaments, &c. Also, rich and fashionable rosewood furniture, pianofortes, melodeon, &c.

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BROKEN RANK BILLS BOUGHT.—THE HIGHEST price will be paid in gold for all kinds of broken bank momey. All other uncurrent funds bought at the usual rates. Drafts for sale on England, Ireland and Scotland. JAMES M. TAYLOR, corner of Chatham source and James street.

CASH ADVANCED AND LOANED TO ANY AMOUNT— On dismonds, watches, jewelry, plate, valuable and personal property, or bought for highest cash prices. R. WOOD, 69 Fulton street, second floor, front room, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

CASH LIBERALLY ADVANCED ON HOUSEHOLD furniture, pianofortes, watches, diamonds, silverware, guns, pistols, nautical instruments, segars, harness, hardware, or any other description of property, or bought out for the highest cash price. Apply to McCAFFRAY & WALTERS, 26 Catherine st., corner of Henry."

DRY DOCK SAVINGS BANK-619 FOURTH STREET. near avenue C.—Deposits made on or before the roth of January next, will receive interest from the lat of January. Interest, as usual, at six per cent per anum on sums of one thousand dollars and under. By order.

ANDREW MILLS, President.

MIGRANT INDUSTRIAL SAVINGS BANK—NEW York, Dec. 16, 1854. Dividend notice. Depositors are hereby notified that a semi-annual dividend, at the rate of six per cent per annum, on all sums of \$500 and ander, land five per cent per annum on all sums over \$500, which shall have been deposited at least three months, on the 1st day of January next, will be paid to depositors on or after Monday, January 15. Interest not called for will be carried to the credit of depositors as princical. The bank is open daily for business from 10 A. M. to 2 P. M., and from 5 to 7 P. M. at 51 Chambers street, east of Broadway. JOSEPH STUART, President. JOHN MANNING, Comptroller.

RVING SAVINGS INSTITUTION, 96 WARREN STREET, one door from Greenwich.—Open daily, from 10 A. M. to 1 P. M. and 4 to 7 P. M. Interest at the rate of 6 per cent allowed on all sums, from \$1 to \$500. The funds of this institution are securely invested in bonds and scrtgages in the city of New York, worth double the amount loaned, and in bonds of this city.

(CALEB S. WOODHULL, President.

W. M. PULLIS,
M. D. VAN PRIN,
VANDERBILL BUXTON, Secretary.

VANDERBILT L. BUXTON, Secretary.

RVING SAVINGS INSTITUTION, 96 WARREN STREET, have declared their semi annual dividend on all deposits entitled thereto, at the rate of six per cent, payable on and after the 15th day of Jahuary next. Dividends not called for will draw interest the same as principal.

CALES S. WOODHULL, President. VANDERBILT L. BUXTON, Secretary.

MONEY.—CASH LIBERALLY ADVANCED ON watches, pianofortes, dry goods, or any other property, at 304 Breadway, corner of Duane street, second floor, room No. 9. The strictest confidence and honor may be relied upon. Branch office, 84 West Sixteenth street.

McLOUGHLIN & O'NEHLL.

TAPSCOTT & CO.'S FOREIGN EXCHANGE OFFICE.— Sight Drafts on England, Ireland, Scotland, Wales, France and Germany, for large or small sums, can at all times be obtained, on application to TAPSCOTT & CO., 86 South street.

WILLIAMSBURG SAVINGS BANK, CORNER OF South Third and Fourth streets, Williamsburg, L. I.—Depositors are hereby notified that a semi-annual dividend, at the rate of six per cent per annua, on all sums of three dollars and upwards that shall have been deposited three months on the first day of January next, will be paid to depositors on or after Monday, Jan. 15. Interest not called for will be passed to the credit of depositors as principal. Deposits made on or before the 10th day of January will draw interest from the first day of January. The funds of this institution are securely invested in bonds and mortgages on property worth double the amount loaned, and in city and county bonds. The bank is opened for business daily, (Sundays and holidays excepted.) from 3 to 7 o'clock P. M. William Wall, President. TTT ILLIAMSBURG SAVINGS BANK, CORNER OF

GRORGE RICARD,
NATHANIEL BREIGE,
SABUEL W. TRUSLOW, Secretary.

\$450.—GREAT BARGAIN—DINING AND OYS-fer saloon for sale, situated on the corner of two great thoroughfares. \$300 down, the rest on time. Inquire at the saloon on the corner of East Broad-way and Catherine street, for three days.

DRUG STORE FOR SALE—SITUATED IN A HIGHLY respectable neighborhood in the upper part of this city; a neat and commodious store, cheap for cash only Address Francis, Herald office.

POR SALE.—THE STOCK, FIXTURES AND GOOD will of a gentleman's furnishing store, doing a good business. This is an opportunity which seldom offers. The stock and fixtures, valued at cost. \$3,600 dollars. A liberal discount will be made from cost. Apply at No. 9 Bridge street, up stairs.

TOR SALE-AN UNDIVIDED INTEREST IN AN IRON foundry and machine shop, doing an extensive business, in one of the best locations in the State of New York. Apply ts JOHN H. BROAD, 618 Fourth st.

FOR SALE-TWO SMALL NEW HOUSES, FOR \$2,400 Tor SALE—TWO SMAIL NEW HOUSES, FOR \$2,400 each, located on Fifty-first street, near Third avenue. Also, 2 houses on Twenty-eighth street, near Madison avenue, \$5,500 each. Also, 2 on Twenty-sixth street, \$5,000 each. Also, 2 on Twenty-sixth street, \$5,000 each; and a number at low prices. Apply from 8 to 10 A. M. and 3 to 7 P. M., to E. B. KINSHIMER, 319 Fourth avenue.

FOR SALE—THE WELL KNOWN AND ESTABLISHED drinking saloon, 41 Walker street, west of Broad way; will be sold cheap, having other business to attend to. Inquire on the premises.

FOR SALE—ONE SECONDHAND TOP WAGON SUIT-able for a doctor or business man; also, a light square box wagon, no top, and a light trotting wagon, all in good order, and for sale cheap. Inquire at the livery stable 58 West Twenth-third street, for one week.

FOR SALE—THE STOCK AND FIXTURES OF A NEAT Confectionery store on an avenue. Satisfactory reasons for selling. Also, a steady young man wanted as pariner, with a small capital, in the provision business. Apply for two days at 105 Twenty-sixth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues.

FOR SALE OR TO LET—A HAIR DEESSING AND bathing establishment, 40% Warren street. Apply to J. PHILLIPPE, 158 Broadway.

ARGE OFFICE IN WALL STREET TO LET—THE furniture, with large safe, suitable for a publicompany, to be sold. Apply at No. 6 Wall street, rear office, first floor.

TO LET, IMMEDIATE POSSESSION—THE DWELLING part of house 380 Fourth avenue, above Tweaty-seventh street; twelve rooms, kitchen, bath, gas, &c.; rent \$500. Also, the house 38 East Twenty-sixth street, near Lexington avenue; rent low. Apply to E. B. KIN-SHIMER, 519 Fourth avenue, from 3 to 7 o'clock.

HOUSES, ROOMS, &C., WANTED.

HOESE WANTED.—THE ADVERTISER WISHES TO rent a small genteel house, in Jersey City or Brooklyn, containing all of the modern improvements, with closets, pantries, &c. Rent not to exceed \$400. Possession wanted in February. Address, with real name and description of house and location, Hutchinson, Herald office. SHIPPING

TO SOUTHERN TRAVELLERS.—THE U. S. MAIL steamship ROANOKE, Capt. Skinner, will leave pier 13 North river, this afternoon, at 3 o'elock, for Richmond and Petersburg, touching at Norfolk, where passengers going further South can take a continuous line

TOR LIVERPOOL—UNITED STATES MAIL STEAMship PACIFIC, E. Nye, Commander. This steamship will const with the United States mails for
Europe pastively jon Wednesday, December 27, at 13
evalued E., from her berth at the foot of Canal street.
For-freight or passage, having unequalled accommodations for elegance and comfort, apply te

EDWARD E. COLLINS, 56 Wall street.
Passengers are requested to be on bedre at 11 % A. M.
The Atlantic will succeed the Pacific, and sail Jan. 10.
Shippers will please take notice that the ships of this
line cannot carry any goods contraband of war.

THE BRITISH AND NORTH AMERICAN ROYAL MAIL. Steamships.
FROM NEW YORK TO LIVERPOOL.

There will be no steamannes or until further notice.

Berths not secured until paid for.

An experienced surgeon on board.

The owners of these ships will not be accountable for gold, silver, bullion, specie, jewelry, prectous stones or metals, unlessfulls of lading are signed therefor and the value thereof therein expressed.

For freight or passage apply to

E. CUNARD, No. 4 Bowling Green.

MOR LIVERPOOL.—PACKET ON 28TH DECEMBER.—
The fast sailing packet ship FRANCIS P. SAGE,
Wm. H. Robson, Master, will sail as above. For passage, having excellent accommodations, apply on board,
at pier 15 East river, or to
THOMAS P. STANTON, 56 South street.

THE LIVERPOOL AND PHILADELPHIA STEAMSHIP

Way, Naw York.

CLASGOW & NEW YORK STRAMSHIP COMPANY.—

The new and powerful steamships NEW YORK, 2,400 tons and 500 horse power (R. Craig, commander); and GLASGOW, 1,962 tons and 400 horse power (W. Cumming, commander), built expressly for the trade between New York and Glasgow, will sail as under. From New York, Glasgow, Saturday, 20th January, 1855, at 12 noon. First cabin, saicon state-rooms (steward's fee included), 350; first cabin, midship (state-rooms steward's fee included), 375. Third class.—A limited number of third class passengers will be taken, supplied with provisions of good quality, properly cooked, at 325 each. Carries a surgeon. For treight or passage, apply to J. McSYMON, 33 Broadway, New York. New York city bills or gold only received for passage.

\*\*NEW YORK & CALIFORNIA STEAMSHIP LINE VIA

NEW YORK & CALIFORNIA STEAMSHIP LINE, VIA NEW YORK & CALIFORNIA STEAMSHIP LINE, VIA Nicaragua—The Accessory Transit Co. of Nicaragua, proprietors.—The splendid double lengine steams alp NORTHERN LIGHT, 2,500 tens burthen, Capt. E. L. Timklepaugh, will leave pier No. 3 North river, at three o'clock, P. M., precisely, for Punta Arenas, Wednesday, December 27, connecting with the favories steamship Cortes, 2,000 tens burthen, over the Nicaragua Transit route, having but welve miles of land transportation by first class carriages. These steamers are unsurpassed in their ventilat on and accommodations. For information or passage, apply only to CHAS. MORGAN, Agent, No. 5 Bowling Green. Letter bag made up at the office, Letters 25 cents per ½ ounce.

Disparch Line for san Francisco—First clipper.—Shippers per clipper ship ELIZABETH F. WILLETS, Capt. Sisson, at pier 27, East river, will please hand in their bills of inding for signature. Fifty tons of light freight can be taken, on immediate application. The E. F. Willets is the sharpest and smallest clipper now loading for San Francisco, and a most desirable conveyance. Apply to SUTTON & CO., 84 Wall street.

AUSTRALJA IN FIFTY FIVE DAYS.—THE BALTImore clipper schooner SIOAN will positively said on or
before the 2cth, or forfeit passage money, for the fulfiment of which the owners will sign a contract. This
seautiful more livil be at Pier 9 E. R. on Tuesday next.
The owners (of fifteen years' experience in the Australian trade) proceed in her to Melbourne, and will be
happy to give any information respecting the Diggings,
price of labor, &c. Advances made on consignments.
For further particulars apply to the owners, on board,
or Captain Hoggins, at Bradford & Tuck's office, 92 Wall
street; or in the evening, 50 Franklin street.

A USTRALIA INDEPENDENT LINE—SIXTY DAYS passage—Only eighty dollars for a passage to Melbourne.—The splendid A I clipper ship BaSTERN SLATE, 1,500 tons burthen, Simon Ross, comm'r, will have immediate despatch for Melbourne. The accommodations of this fine ship for passeagers, both in first and second cabins, are superior to those of any other vessel now up. As but a limited number of passengers are taken, early application is necessary. The proprietors of this popular ine, aware that a number of mechanics and others having families have been unable to engage passage, owing to the high rates hitherto charged, have determined to carry a limited number of passengers at the unprecedentedly low price of eighty dollars, which will include provisions, water, attendance, and all other necessaries for the voyage, with the sole exception of bedding. Having a great portion of her cargo and passengers already engaged, she will have quick despatch. For freighter passage apply on board, at pier No. 7, E. R. reightsor passage apply on board, at pier No. 7, E. R., or to ARKELL & ELLIOIT, 146 Pearl street, or E. RICH-ARDEON & CO., 52 South street.

A USTRALIAN PIONEER LINE, CARRYING THE United States mails.—The A 1 clipper ship OCEAN QUEEN will have quick despatch for Sydney, under the arrangement with the government, giving passengers the privilege of paying part of their money in work, which is guaranteed to them, at very high rates.

R. W. CAMERON, 116 Wall street.

A USTRALIA PIONEER LINE—CARRYING THE United States mails. Shippers per windward for Melbourne, will please clear their goods at Custom House, and their bills of lading for signature this day, as she goes to sea on Tuesday. Two second cabin berths for sale.

R. W. CAMERON, 116 Wall street. USTRALIA IN FIFTY-FIVE DAYS-FREE PASSAGE A —The Bultimore clipper schooner SiCAN, will sai on 26th inst. For perticulars apply to owners on board pier Ne. 9, E. R., on Thursday next; or to Capt. Higgins 50 Franklin street.

NEW YORK AND NEW ORLEANS STEAMSHIP COMP
pany.—For New Orleans, stopping at Havanas, carrying the United States mail.—The steamship CAHAWBA, R. W. Shufeldt, Commander, is now receiving freight, and will sail for the above ports on Tuesday, December 26, at 12 o'clock, from pier at foot of Beach street, North river. Freight for the interior and for Mobile, consigned to our agents in New Orleans, "James Connoly & Co.," will be forwarded free of commissions. Passengers for Havana must procure passports before leaving port. For freight or passage, apply to LIVINGSTON, CROCHERON & CO., Agents, 31 Broadway.

N. B.—The Black Warrior, J. D. Bullock, Commander, will succeed the Cahawba, and sail on Tuesday, January 9. Bills of lading must be sent in for signing the evening previous to the ship sailing.

FOR SAVANNAH AND FLORIDA-U. S. MAIL LINE The new and splendid steamship AUGUSTA, Capt. Thos. Lyon, will leave New York for Savannah on Saturday, Dec. 30, from pier No. 4, North river, at 3 o'clock P. M. Bills of lading signed on board. For freight apply on board, or for passage to SAMUEL L. MITCHILL, 13 Breadway. For Florida, through tickets from New York to Jacksonville, \$20; to Pilatka, \$33.

POR CHARLESTON, S. C.—THE SUPÉRIOR SIDE wheel ateamship QUAKER CITY, J. H. Hodgdon, commander, will leave Philadelphia for Charleston, S. C., on Satusday, Dec. 30, at 10 o'clock A. M. Cabin passage \$20. Apply to HERON & MARTIN, 37½ North Wharves, Philadelphia.

FOR NORFOLK, PETERSBURG AND RICHMOND.—
The United States mail steamship JAMESTOWN, L.
Parrish, commander, will leave pier 13 North river, on
saturday, Dec. 30, at 3 o'clock P. M.; will arrive in Norfolk the next afternoon, and Petersburg and Richmond
the following morning. From Norfolk, passengers for
the South proceed by railroad direct, with through tickets from Welden to Wilmington, Augusta, &c. Passage
and fare to Norfolk, \$8; to Petersburg and Richmond,
\$10. Steerage half price. Apply to
LUDLAM & PLEASANTS, 32 Breadway.

NOTICE TO MASTERS AND SHIPPING MERCHANTS.

—The undersigned, having been appointed agents at New York for Boston Marine Insurance Companies, hereby notify masters of vessels owned at the East, and insured or likely to be insured at Boston, in the event of slipwreck or disaster in the vicinity of New York, on the Jersey and Virginia coasts, to telegraph or otherwise advise the undersigned immediately, that assistance may be dispatched to them. Also, in all claims for damage to vessels and cargo, to confer with the agents, that their claims may be settled amicably and with mounal satisfaction. JOHNSON & HIGGINS, 35 Wall st.

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TO CAPT. J. THOMPSON, OF SHIP LADY FRANKLIN.

—Sir:—We, the undersigned passengers, on board your fine and strong ship, being about to terminate our voyage from Liverpool to New York, after a some what rough and boisterouspassage, cannot part without expressing to you our strong admiration of the yessel, and the various arrangements made for our health and comfort; and we glady recommend her to any of our friends who may wish to come out. We freely confess that we have received at your hands, and from your officers may generally, every care and attention we could possibly expect, and nothing wanted to add to our happiness. Permit us, sir, also to add our humble testimonial to your well-merited fame, as a gentleman and skillful navigator. Yours, respectfully,

Alfred Hughes, William Summers, Thomas Green, Thomas Murry, John Cowen, Agnes Kean, Ellen Gilfoyle, Mary Stoors, G. Muller, S. Hoffman, Hansiker, James Finday, Patrick Flynn, Harris Kuhn, John Kemp and wife, Joseph Graham, John Armstrong, Job-Eccleston, Pavid Billey, Michael Kehot, and upwards of two handred other passengers.

A LADY OF EDUCATION AND REFINEMENT WOULD like to meet with an opportunity of reading to a invalid, or obtain writing, either as copyist or otherwise Address Mrs. D., Herald office.

A NURSE AND SEAMSTRESS WANTED — ALSO, three good cooks, washers and froncers, for situations now ready. All smart girls, with references, can obtain speedy situations and high wages, up town, by applying to-day and to-morrow at 106 Twenty-sixth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues.

HOUSEKEEPER WANTED—FOR A WIDOWER, (NO family.) An aged Scotch or American Protestant lady, without charge. A comfortable home to such in preference to wages. References required. Address W. M., Herald office.

TIWO FAITHFUL SERVANTS WANTED IMMEDIATEly-one to cook, wash, iron, &c.; and the other to do chamberwork, sew, &c. in a plain private family of eight persons, in South Brooklyn. Inquire, this day, with reference, at 47 Atlantic street.

TTO BOSS MECHANICS IN OR OUT OF NEW YORK A boy fifteen years of age, wishes to learn a trade. Indentures of him will be given. Any light, good mechanical trade. He is a smart, intelligent boy, and would have no objection to live with his employer, or otherwise. Good references given as to smartness and honesty. Address, stating business, &c., Brother, bux 160 Herald office, for one week.

W ANTED—A RESPECTABLE YOUNG OR MIDDLE-aged woman, to go South, (near Richmond, Vir-ginia,) with an English family, on Wednesday next, 27th. One with good recommendations, and who can wash and iron well, may apply this day or to-morrow, (Tuesday,) to C. M., at the Fulton street Hotel.

WANTED—A RESPECTABLE YOUNG OR MIDDLE-aged woman to go South, (near Richmond, Vir-ginia,) with an English family, which will leave here on Saturday next. One with good recommendations, and who can wash and iron well, may hear of a comfortable situation, by applying any day this week, before ten in the morning, to C. M., at the Fulton Street Hotel.

WANTED IMMEDIATELY—A BAKER WHO UNDER-stands cake baking in general, at 22 Stanton street, near the Bowery. None but an experienced hand need apply.

WANTED—FOUR BOYS, FROM TEN TO FOURTEEN years of age, to travel—a violinist, banjo tamborioist, bone player, and dancer, Address, by letter, postpaid, at the Chatham street Post Office, A. Birt.

DOWERY EXTENSION TO FRANKLIN SQUARE.—THE area of assessment herein includes property in the First, Second, Fourth, Sixth, Seventh, Tenth, Fourteenth, Fifteenth and Seventeenth wards, from Old Slip to Fourteenth street. All who are opposed to enormous and oppressive taxation, and to this rulmous speculation, are requested to call, without delay, at the office of the subscriber, to ascertain the amount of their assessment and take measures to oppose the same.

JIREH BULL, 10 Duane street.

CHRISTMAS NIGHT, DEC. 25, 1854.—THE NEW YORK Serenaders have the honor to inform the public that they appear at Convention Hall, Wooster street, between Houston and Bleecker, at the above date, when the following eminent Ethiopian performers will appear:—J. Hill, lecturer on Women's Rights; R. W. Carroll, the original Toby; R. Bishon, the original Dick; J. Donnelly, champion dancer; C. H. Smith, the celebrated banjoist. Doors open at half past six o'clock; concert commences at a quarter before eight. Cards of admission 12½ cents to all parts of the house. Froat seats reserved for the ladies.

TNDEPENDENT LODGE NO. 185 FREE AND ACCEPT ed Masons.—The members of this lodge are respectfully notified that the annual election for officers will take place on Monday evening, Dec 25, at their lodge room, 68 East Broadway. Punctual attendance is requested.

John W. Darly, Secretary.

MASONIC NOTICE.—THE MEMBERS OF KEY STONE Lodge, No. 2 F. and A. M., are hereby notified to attend the next regular communication, on Tuesday evening, Dec. 26, at 1½ o'clock, at their rooms, 197 and 199 Walker street. Punctual attendance is requested, as the election of officers for the cosuing year will take place. By order of JOHN WOOD, W. M. JOSEPH J. JEMMINGS, Secretary.

NEW YORK FLOATING DRY DOCK COMPANY, December 21, 1884.—The annual election for nine directors of this company will be held on Monlay, the 1st day of January next, at the East Broadway House, corner of Pike street and East Broadway. The poll will open at 5 o'clock P. M., and remain open one hour. By erder.

H. V. MASON, Secretary. OFFICE NEW YORK GAS LIGHT COMPANY, DEC. 20, 1854.—The annual election for thirteen directors of this company will be held on Monday, the 8th day of January next, at the office No. 174 Centre street, from 11 to 12 o'clock A. M. The transfer book will be closed from the 23d inst. until after the election. By order.

C. L. EVERITT, Secretary.

PHENIX GOLD MINING COMPANY OF NORTH Carolina, Dec. 21, 1854.—The stockholders are requested to meet at the office of the company, 18 Exchange place, on Tuesday next, Dec. 26, at 2 o'clock P. M., on business of importance. By order,

J. JACOBSON, Secretary.

PECIAL NOTICE.—THE MEMBERS OF THE FRIENDShip Association are particularly requested to attend the funeral of Edward J. Coggins, from his late residence, No. 116 Walker street, on this (Monday) afternoon, at 3 o'clock. Punctual attendance is requested.
By order,
J. H. H. Markers, Secretary, ROONEY, President.

COMPANY ATTENTION.—THE MEMBERS OF THE Meehan Guards are hereby notified that the last meeting of the above guard, previous to our parade, will take place on Tuesday, 26th instant, at seven o'clock P. M., at O'Donnell's, corner of Twentieth street and Third avenue. Punctual attendance is requested, as there will be important business to transact. Belts for the company will be found in the room.

R. H. HOPPER, Secretary. JOHN BELL, Captain.

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INDEPENDENT BATTALION—RYNDERS' GRENAdiers.—Headquarters, Dec. 23, 1854.—Order No. 21.—
This battalion will assemble for parade at 9½ A M. on
Christmas Day, A. D., 1864, as directed in printed order
No. 19. Route of march—From City Hall down Broadway
to the Battery, up Greenwich street to Warren, through
Warren to the Park, up Chatham street to Oliver, up
Oliver to Henry, up Henry to Market, through to East
Broadway up to Grand, through to Bowery, up Fourth
avenue to Fourteenth street, through to Fifth avenue,
down to Waverley place, through to Broadway, down to
the Park, where the battalion will be reviewed by General
Ward B. Burnett, of the New York Volunteers, and
guests. By order. GEO. B. HALL, Major Commanding.
Jas. B. Hethersington, Adjutant.

THE BALL SEASON

HILIGROVE'S COMPLIMENTARY.—IN CONNE-quence of the burning of the City Assembly kooms, the sixth complimentary soirce to Thomas Hill-grove, teacher of dancing, will be held at the Chinese Rooms, 539 Broadway, on Thursday evening, December 28, 1864, on which occasion the American galla troups have kindly volunteered to sing several of their favor-ite airs and ballads during the evening. Tickets one dollar.

MERRY CHRISTMAS.—NOTICE.—IN CONSEQUENCE of the destruction of the City Assembly Rooms, by the late disastrous fire, the tenth annual military and civic soirce of the First Company, Gouverneur Blues, will be held at the Chinese Assembly Rooms, 539 Broadway, on Monday evening, December 25. Military gentlemen are requested to appear in uniform.

WM. GAYTE, Chairman. JOHN MCKINZIE, Secretary.

THE TWENTY-FIXTH ANNUAL BALL FOR THE BENF-place at the Academy of Music, Fourteenth street, on Monday evening, Jan. 16, 1855. Tickets may be procured of the managers.

LOST AND FOUND. A N OWNER WANTED FOR A CARPET SAVED from the fire in Broadway, on the morning of the 20th inst. Apply at 15 Crosby street.

CAME TO MY PREMISES, DECEMBER 23, ONE HOG.
The owner can have it by proving property and paying expenses, at corner of Bloomfield and Newark streets, Hoboken.

PETER FARRIGAN.

TOUND ASTRAY ON THE EVENING OF THURSDAY the 21st. in the upper part of Brooklyn, a young steer, which the owner can have by proving property and paying charges. P. V. Varick, 83 Maiden lane, New York.

New York.

I OST OR STOLEN—FROM THE UNDERSIGNED, A promissory note for \$500, with interest at the rate of five per cent per annum, drawn by J. & D. Weatfall to the order of Frederick Schluter, psyable on demand, and dated New York, July 1, 1854. All persons are hereby cautioned against negotiating said note, as it was not endorsed by me, payment having been stopped.

FR. SCHLUTER, 202 Cherry street.

A SUPERIOR QUALITY OF BRANDIES, WINES, Scotch and Irish whiskeys, rums, gins, sgrups and cordials, Scotch ales, London and Dublin porter, Philadelphia ale and porter, in bottles, for family need For sale at WM. H. UNDERHILLS, 430 Broome street, corner of Crosby.

WINES, BRANDIES, IRISH AND SCOTCH WHISKIES. W of superior quality; London and Philadelphia por-ter; Scotch, Burton and Philadelphia ales, of most popu-lar brands; champagne cider, in quantities to suit pur-chasers, at moderate prices. Terms cash. N. B.—Cham-pagne wines, cordials, liquors, cigars, &c. JOHN J. STAFF, No. 323 Eroadway, corner of Anthony street.

THE CARNIVAL IN BROADWAY.—THE OIL PAINT ing (11 feet by 1½) which the celebrated Hypolite Sebron has just finished, representing a very remarkable winter scene in Broadway, will be exhibited at his studio, 709½ Broadway, the Monday, Thursday and Saturday previous to its being shipped for the World's Fair, in Paris. The paintings of this artist are well worthy the examination of lovers of the line arts. Genlemen, 25 couts; ladies, free.

Dog For SALE—A FINE AND VALUABLE DOG, which is worth upwards of \$50, will be sold at a moderate price. This dog is watchful, clean, fine and pleasant by children—are not better in the city. Apply at 200m 10, 217 Bowery.